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Applicant(s) : Lorz *et al.*
Serial No. : 09/674,824
For : NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES WHICH CODE FOR
ENZYMES DERIVED FROM WHEAT AND WHICH
ARE INVOLVED IN THE SYNTHESIS OF STARCH
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Examiner : Chen, S.L.
Art Unit : 1633

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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 19, 2003, please consider the following requests and remarks.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), a three-month extension of the period for reply, up to and including December 19, 2003, is requested. A check for \$950.00 is enclosed in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional required fee for this extension of time or any other fee occasioned by this paper, or credit any overpayment in such fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.